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It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2003 be extended for a period of three months April 30, 2003 to and including July 30, 2003.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$465.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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